## **Communion Antiphon**

Cf. Jn 7: 37-38

Thus says the Lord:

Let whoever is thirsty come to me and drink.

Streams of living water will flow

from within the one who believes in me.

Or: Jn 19: 34

One of the soldiers opened his side with a lance, and at once there came forth blood and water.

## **Prayer after Communion**

Made partakers in your Sacrament of charity, we humbly implore your mercy, Lord, that we may be conformed to Christ on earth and merit to be coheirs of his glory in heaven. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

As a Votive Mass, the Mass of the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus may also be used, p. 502.

### 9. THE HOLY SPIRIT

In this Mass, the color red is used.

Α

## **Entrance Antiphon**

Rom 5: 5; cf. 8: 11

The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit of God dwelling within us.

### Collect

O God, who have taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that in the same Spirit we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in his consolation.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

# Prayer over the Offerings

Sanctify, we pray, O Lord, the offerings made here, and cleanse our hearts by the light of the Holy Spirit. Through Christ our Lord.

THE HOLY SPIRIT 1339

Preface I of the Holy Spirit: The sending of the Spirit by the Lord upon the Church.



Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts . . .

#### Text without music:

- V. The Lord be with you.
- R. And with your spirit.
- V. Lift up your hearts.
- R. We lift them up to the Lord.
- V. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- R. It is right and just.

It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Christ our Lord.

Ascending above all the heavens and sitting at your right hand, he poured out the promised Holy Spirit on your adopted children.

Therefore, now and for ages unending, with all the host of Angels, we sing to you with all our hearts, crying out as we acclaim:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts . . .

## **Communion Antiphon**

Cf. Ps 68 (67): 29-30

Confirm, O God, what you have brought about in us, from your holy temple, which is in Jerusalem.

# Prayer after Communion

May the outpouring of the Holy Spirit cleanse our hearts, O Lord, and make them fruitful by the inner sprinkling of his dew. Through Christ our Lord.

THE HOLY SPIRIT 1341

В

## **Entrance Antiphon**

Cf. Jn 14: 26; 15: 26

When the Spirit of truth comes, he will teach you all truth, says the Lord.

### Collect

May the Paraclete who proceeds from you, we pray, O Lord, enlighten our minds and lead us into all truth, just as your Son has promised.
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Or:

O God, to whom every heart lies open, every desire speaks plainly and from whom no secret is hidden, cleanse, we pray, the thoughts of our heart by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, that we may merit to love you perfectly and offer you worthy praise.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

# Prayer over the Offerings

Look, we pray, O Lord, on the spiritual sacrifice placed on your altar with loving devotion and give your servants a right spirit, so that their faith may make these gifts pleasing to you and their humility commend them.

Through Christ our Lord.

Preface II of the Holy Spirit: The action of the Spirit in the Church.



Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts . . .

THE HOLY SPIRIT 1343

#### Text without music:

- V. The Lord be with you.
- R. And with your spirit.
- V. Lift up your hearts.
- R. We lift them up to the Lord.
- V. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- R. It is right and just.

It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For you bestow gifts suited to every season and guide the governing of your Church in wonderful ways.

By the power of the Holy Spirit you come unfailingly to her aid, so that with a heart always subject to you she may never fail to seek your help in time of trouble nor cease to give you thanks in time of joy, through Christ our Lord.

And so, in company with the choirs of Angels, we praise you, and with joy we proclaim:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts . . .

# **Communion Antiphon**

Jn 15: 26; 16: 14

The Spirit, whom I will send you from the Father, will glorify me, says the Lord.

# **Prayer after Communion**

Lord our God, who have been pleased to nourish us with heavenly food, pour, we pray, the delights of your Spirit into the recesses of our heart, that what we have devoutly received in time we may possess as a gift for eternity. Through Christ our Lord.

C

## **Entrance Antiphon**

Cf. Lk 4: 18

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, he has sent me to preach the good news to the poor, says the Lord.

### Collect

O God, who sanctify your universal Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of your Spirit across the face of the earth, so that your divine grace, which was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, may now spread through the hearts of those who believe in you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Or:

O God, by whose Spirit we are governed and by whose protection we are kept safe, extend over us your mercy and give ear to our supplications, that the faith of those who believe in you may always be sustained by your gifts. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

# Prayer over the Offerings

May the fire of the Spirit, O Lord, sanctify the sacrificial gifts offered in your sight, just as it enkindled the hearts of the disciples of your Son. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Preface I of the Holy Spirit, p. 1339, or II, p. 1342.

## **Communion Antiphon**

Cf. Ps 104 (103): 30

Send forth your Spirit, and they shall be created, and you shall renew the face of the earth.

## **Prayer after Communion**

May these gifts we have consumed benefit us, O Lord, that we may always be aflame with the same Spirit whom you wondrously poured out on your Apostles. Through Christ our Lord.

### 10. THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

In these Masses, the color white is used.

Α

Any Mass from the Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary (pp. 1039-1051) is used, in accordance with the various times of the year.

В

Our Lady, Mother of the Church

# **Entrance Antiphon**

Cf. Acts 1: 14

The disciples devoted themselves with one accord to prayer with Mary, the Mother of Jesus.

### Collect

O God, Father of mercies, whose Only Begotten Son, as he hung upon the Cross, chose the Blessed Virgin Mary, his Mother, to be our Mother also, grant, we pray, that with her loving help your Church may be more fruitful day by day and, exulting in the holiness of her children, may draw to her embrace all the families of the peoples. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.